



## River Campus Fundraiser Days

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### What is a Fundraiser Day?

Students hosting a fundraiser for a club, school-sanctioned trip, or an outside non-profit organization will need to do so on Fundraiser Days. Fundraiser Days will look like a fundraising fair where each student group has a table and can sell various items. Students should be creative in marketing what they are selling and getting folks to their booths.

If students need help coming up with ideas for their booths, they can reach out to the [Development Office](#) for assistance. This will also let students and staff know which days to bring cash to buy all the fun stuff!

### When are the approved MS Fundraiser Days this year?

- Thursday, October 9
- Wednesday, December 10 during C Day - Combined Lunch

### What can be sold?

Food items, crafts, and other items that would appeal to your peers.

### What are the accepted payment methods?

Cash Only for MS

Electronic Payments approved for HS Fundraisers

### How much are items?

The price of items sold are determined by the student and/or club selling them.

### What cannot be sold?

Students may not sell items that:

- Require physical contact such as hugs or kissing booths.
- Items required by the academic program, such as doing someone else's homework or completing someone else's service project.
- Items cannot be sold for personal profit. For example, a student may not sell bracelets and keep the profits. But a club group of students could sell bracelets and keep the profits for the club/cause.

### Can we raise funds outside of these days?

If you would like to host an on-campus fundraiser outside of the Fundraiser Days, you must request an exception from the [Development Office](#) by email. Exceptions will likely be granted for **time-sensitive** humanitarian crises. For example, an event responding to Hurricane Helene.

Off-campus fundraising requires date approval from the [Development Office](#) before the fundraiser. Businesses that do give-back nights can be found [here](#).

## How do I apply to be part of Fundraiser Days?

### 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR FUNDRAISER DAYS AND APPLICATION DUE DATES

- [Click here to complete the MS Application](#) for the following dates:
- Thursday, October 9 (application due by Thursday, October 2)
- Wednesday, December 10 - C Day (application due by Wednesday, December 3)
- HS students can apply for the above dates and/or dates of their choosing and must complete [this application in paper form](#) as it requires signatures.

## What if I have more questions?

Please email Jeslyn Schuh in the Development Office at [j.schuh@headwaters.org](mailto:j.schuh@headwaters.org). She and River Events Coordinator, Julia Murray, will collaborate on these events this school year.